

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA**

JAMES B., JR.,	:	CIVIL ACTION
Plaintiff,	:	
	:	
vs.	:	NO. 23-cv-3644
	:	
MARTIN O'MALLEY,	:	
Commissioner of Social Security,	:	
Defendant.	:	

ORDER

AND NOW, this 21ST day of June, 2024, upon consideration of Defendant's Contested Motion to Remand (ECF No. 17), it is hereby **ORDERED** that Defendant's Motion is **GRANTED**. This case is remanded to Defendant for further administrative proceedings.

Upon remand, the Appeals Council will direct the Administrative Law Judge to evaluate all medical opinions of record, order a consultative mental examination of Plaintiff and hold a new administrative hearing. The Administrative Law Judge is to issue a new decision.

This remand is ordered pursuant to the fourth sentence of 42 U.S.C. § 405(g). This is a final Order. This case is hereby closed on the Court's docket. By separate Order, the Court will enter a final judgment pursuant to Rule 58 of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure.

BY THE COURT:

/s/ Lynne A. Sitarski
LYNNE A. SITARSKI
United States Magistrate Judge